ON-THE-JOB Training

Whether on-the-job training is done by the supervisor or by an experienced, high-performing staff member who has been trained in teaching methods, there are some critical factors to consider in making this an effective learning experience. The **3P** + **E** approach works:

Present

Prepare a step-by-step written process and flowchart. Explain and demonstrate one step at a time.

Practice

Have employee practice and master each step before demonstrating another. Have employee practice putting all the steps together. Coach and give feedback until task is mastered.

Perform

Allow the employee to perform solo. Do this for a reasonable amount of time.

Evaluate

After the trial period, review results achieved. Give feedback on what is working well and what needs to be changed. Provide additional coaching if needed.